

## TUMKUR DISTRICT.

## NOTICE.

*The 19th April 1886.*

Under orders from the Government as conveyed in the Chief Secretary's No. 32, dated 10th instant, the Government Bungalow on Devarayadurg and the Forest lodge at the foot of the hill are respectively classed as Traveller's bungalows of the 1st and 2nd class, the latter being subject to reservation when required by Forest officers.

P. N. KRISHNA MURTI,  
Dy. Commr.

## SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 1886.

*Bangalore District.*

*Rain-fall.*—Sixty-five cents of rain were gauged at Head-quarters, Bangalore.

*Crops.*—The standing sugar-cane and paddy crops were in fair condition. Sugar-cane was sown, and sugar-cane and paddy were harvested.

*Health.*—Good generally. Small-pox prevalent in a few Taluks.

*Mortality.*—There were 546 deaths in the month of February against 684 in January, being a decrease of 138.

*Cattle.*—One thousand one hundred and eighty-seven head of cattle died from all causes during the month under report against 1,159 in the previous month; of these, 189 were killed by wild beasts.

*Lands.*—Lands assessed at Rs. 2,206—0—1 were taken up for cultivation, while those for Rs. 74—11—0 were relinquished.

A. H. MACINTYRE,  
Dy. Commr.

*Kaatur District.*

*Rain-fall.*—The rain-fall gauged in the District Head-quarters and Taluks during the month was as follows :—

Taluks.		Taluks.	
	I. C.		I. C.
Koppa	0 95	Chikmagalur	1 30
Other Taluks.—Nil			

*Thermometer.*—The average readings of the thermometer at District Head-quarters were 83·16 at 9·30 A. M. and 89·06 at 3·30 P. M.

*Seeds sown.*—Kor-paddy in Kadur, Hassan and Arsikere Taluks.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy in Mudgero and Arsikere Taluks. Sugar-cane in Koppa, Chikmagalur, Hassan and Belur Taluks. Bengal-gram in Tarikere and Kadur Taluks.

*Condition of Crops.*—Generally good.

*Prospects.*—Favorable.

*Health.*—Fair.

*Live-stock.*—Three hundred and ninety-six cattle died during the month against 510 in the previous month.

*Lands.*—Lands assessed at Rs. 267—1—0 were taken up for cultivation and lands assessed at Rs. 504—7—4 were resigned.

*Prices.*—Slightly rising.

G. F. MEKLEJOHN,  
Dy. Commissioner.